DUAL LANGUAGE EDUCATION
(Z149)

Graduate Certificate Program
College of Education

ABSTRACT
The Dual Language Education graduate certificate will prepare educators to teach and lead in dual language PK-12 schools (which include bilingual and immersion language programs). Coursework is designed following the National Dual Language Education Teacher Preparation Standards to meet teaching and learning goals in the following areas: (1) bilingualism and biliteracy, (2) academic achievement, and (3) critical sociocultural competence.

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ADMISSIONS
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
• Statement of Purpose
• Transcript(s)
• TOEFL/IELTS/PTE (international graduate students (https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/english-language-proficiency-requirements/))

PROGRAM-SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS
• Letters of Recommendation (2)
• CV/Resume

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REQUIREMENTS
• Dual Language Education, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (P.B.C.) (https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/dual-language-education-z149/dual-language-education-pbc/)